## OFFICE OF THE SANITARY COMMISSIONER IN MYSORE, BANGALORE.

NOTE ON THE STATE OF PUBLIC HEALTH IN MYSORE FOR THE WEEK ENDING SATURDAY THE 12TH FEBRUARY 1927.

A total of 12 attacks with 11 deaths from plague was returned during the week against 51 attacks with 34 deaths in the previous week, the districts affected being, Mysore, Hassan and Shimoga. The Mysore City and Kolar Gold Fields area reported no cases while the Bangalore City returned 2 fatal cases during the week.

2. Comparative figures for plague for the corresponding week were 28 attacks with 22 deaths in 1924 and 222 attacks with 142 deaths in 1925.

3. No cases of cholera, influenza or of relapsing fever was returned during the week.

4. Eleven attacks with three deaths from small-pox was returned for one village in Hassan and Koppa Taluks and the Town of Hassan.

5. The total mortality for the Bangalore City amounted to 48 representing a calculated annual ratio of 21·13 per mille of population against the average ratio of 31·54 for 1925. Classified according to causes, the deaths numbered 2 under plague, 1 under malaria, 7 under pneumonia, 2 under other fevers, 3 under phthisis, 2 under dysentery and Diarrhœa and 31 under all other causes.

6. The total mortality for the Mysore City, for the week was 32, representing a calculated annual ratio of 26·13 per mille of population against the average ratio of 22·20 for 1925. The causes of deaths were pneumonia 2, typhoid 1, other fevers 1, phthisis 3 dysentery and diarrhœa 1 and all other causes 24.

7. There were 35 deaths from all causes reported from the Kolar Gold Fields area equivalent to a calculated annual ratio of 20·75 per mille of population against the average ratio of 24·10 for 1925. The deaths were 1 under malaria, 1 under pneumonia, 1 under other fevers, 1 under phthisis, 2 under dysentery and diarrhœa and 29 under all other causes.

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